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Deputy Director, Research and Reports Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D.C.

Dear Bill:

Let me extend the thanks of NASA top management and myself to you and your colleagues for having done a first rate job on the difficult subject of the use of Soviet space technology in the civil economy. I can assure you that this report, like others your office has prepared for us, is being given a very careful reading and will contribute richly to our understanding of the Soviet counterpart.

I do plan to pursue the subject of biomedical spin-off from the space program and will deal with of OSI on this subject.

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My best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Irwin P. Halpern Special Assistant

to the Administrator

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